

## THE RISE OF THE CLERK.

How a Wise and Thrifty Young Man Suddenly Became a Property Owner.

A Row of Five Neat Brick Cottages Which Testify to His Shrewdness.

The Speculative Young Man Who Was Never Happy Unless He Had a Chance in Something.

A row of five neat little brick dwelling houses now in course of erection in a comparatively new section of Jersey City has an interesting history. The houses are two-story and extension affairs with cellars, and what real estate agents call "all modern improvements." They are neatly finished in hard wood inside, and are of the sort that commands a rental of about \$30 a month each in Jersey City. They are being built by a man who, up to a few months ago, was too poor to own even the house he lived in. He was a clerk on a small salary, a saving, thrifty fellow, who thought it the supreme folly to play the races, buy lottery tickets, or otherwise invest a dollar in what was not a certainty. He took no money in chances that might yield a thousand to one, but which a thousand to one times would yield nothing.

In the same office with him was a young man of still more slender income, but of a speculative turn of mind. He took no money in chances that might yield a thousand to one, but which a thousand to one times would yield nothing. He was on a lower financial plane he invested dollar bills in twentieth portions of lottery tickets. When he got down to quarters and dimes he played penny ante on paper. Whatever the condition of his purse this youth was always ready for a bout with fortune. He was also an unlucky youth. But his spirit was above such trifles as these. His predominant character was hopefulness.

One day a few months ago this speculative young man invested his last dollar in the twentieth part of one ticket in the Louisiana Lottery. He had sunk many a dollar in the lottery and had never got a cent to show for it. Shortly afterward he was placed in circumstances where a dollar in cash was a matter of the greatest moment to him. He had already drawn his salary in advance and his credit was exhausted. He had nothing but the lottery ticket. After exhausting every other resource he regretfully concluded that the lottery ticket must go. He endeavored to sell it to his companions, but they were broke, too. Then he took it to the person who always had a dollar, the thrifty clerk who did not speculate.

"Say, old man, don't you want to go a dollar's worth on the Louisiana lottery?" he asked.

"Not a cent's worth," said the thrifty clerk.

"Give you a discount on a sure winner."

"No, thank you," said the thrifty clerk, dryly.

Then the speculative young man got down to pleading, and at length persuaded the thrifty man to buy the ticket for a silver cent. The thrifty man sighed as he did so. He considered that dollar given to charity. But he stuck the ticket in his pocket all the same.

Several weeks after that the speculative young man approached the thrifty clerk with a peculiar expression on his face and asked what the number of that ticket was.

"I don't know," said the purchaser of it, absently.

"Look and see," said the young man in a strained voice. The clerk fished the ticket from the depths of his pocket and threw it on the table. The speculative young man's face assumed a high color.

"What's the matter?" asked the owner of the ticket, mildly.

"You've won!"

"You've won?"

"You have. Capital prize!"

So it proved, and two weeks later the thrifty clerk who never took chances pocketed \$15,000, the twentieth part of the biggest prize in the drawing.

Did the thrifty clerk celebrate largely? Did he call in his friends and order up unlimited fizz, and make the best of the morning? Did he take the speculative young man by both hands and pat him on the back and go whoops on the spoils?

No; the thrifty clerk smiled a very broad and a very thrifty smile. He went out and ate a fifteen-cent lunch all by himself and then proceeded to build five \$3,000 houses from which he will draw a rental of \$150 a month for the balance of his days.

## Woman's Discovery.

"Another wonderful discovery has been made, and that, too, by a lady in this country. Disease fastened its clutches upon her and for seven years she withstood its severest tests, but her vital organs were undermined and death seemed imminent. For three months she coughed incessantly and could not sleep. She bought of us a bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption and was so much relieved on taking the first dose that she slept all night and with one bottle has been miraculously cured. Her name is Mrs. Esther Lutz. Thus writes W. C. Hamrick & Co. of Shelby, N. C. Get a free trial bottle at R. S. Hale & Co.'s drug store.

## Heretofore Strength.

Continually on the strain, or overtaken at intervals, is far less desirable than ordinary vigor perpetuated by rational diet and exercise, and abstention from excess. Professional pugilists and athletes rarely attain old age. As ordinary vigor may be retained by a wise regard for sanitary living, and for the protection against disease which timely and judicious medication affords, so also it may be lost through prolonged sedentary labor, uninterrupted mental strain, and foolish eating and drinking, the chief and most immediate sequence of all four being dyspepsia. For this condition, then, or in any way induced, and for its offspring, a failure of muscular and nerve power, Hostetter's Stomach Bitters is the prime and most general of remedies. Not only indigestion, but loss of flesh, appetite and sleep are remedied by it. Incipient malaria and rheumatism are banished, and kidney, bowel and liver complaint removed by it.

## Winter Excursions to California.

On the 15th day of every month the Northern Pacific Railroad company will sell excursion tickets to San Francisco and return at \$75; to Los Angeles and return \$94. These tickets have an extreme limit of six months from date of issuance and can be used going any time within sixty (60) days from date of sale. Stop-overs allowed at any point desired—either going or returning—within limit of ticket. Excursionists have choice of two routes from Portland—by steamer, or by rail, via the famous Mount Shasta route.

Bear in mind that the Northern Pacific is the only line running through sleeping and dining cars to the Pacific coast.

## The Latest Out.

A Daily Through Car Service has been established by the Chicago, Union Pacific & North-Western Line from San Francisco,

Portland, Spokane Falls, Butte and Helena, to Chicago via Council Bluffs, thus offering to the public facilities not given by any other line. "The Limited Fast Mail" which runs daily between the above points, carries the Overland Fast Mail, a limited number of first-class passengers without extra charge, and is composed of Pullman Vestibuled Sleepers, San Francisco to Chicago via Council Bluffs, Pullman Vestibuled Sleepers and Pullman Dining Cars, Portland to Chicago via Council Bluffs.

This is another indication that the Union Pacific is desirous of meeting the requirements of the people. For information in regard to this and other trains on this line, apply to any Ticket Agent or E. L. Lomax, General Passenger Agent, Omaha, Neb.

## Commendable.

Hood's Sarsaparilla is purely a vegetable preparation, being free from injurious ingredients. It is peculiar in its curative power.

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## FROM DESPAIR TO JOY.

The Painful Story of a Lovely Lady, and How She Finally Secured Happiness.

Mrs. Morton D. Harlan, residing at No. 55 West Fifth Street, New York City, has passed through a most wonderful experience. Mrs.

Harlan had a happy home and through her devotion to her home duties overtaxed her strength. She had depressed feelings, entire lack of energy in life, and finally a cough at night and morning which grew worse each day. Upon looking in the glass she saw dark circles under her eyes and found that she was growing thinner and losing all interest in life. This painful state of things continued for months until finally she became so weak she could not attend to her duties and was confined to bed the greater part of the time. One day Mrs. Harlan's very dear friend Mrs. Willard called and was amazed to see her so weak and faded. Two bright beacons stood upon each cheek, her lips were blue, her face pinched and drawn, and there was a piteous look in her eyes. Mrs. Willard knew this meant consumption and her heart was touched for her friend. At her earnest request, the use of an English Remedy for consumption was tried. At the start very little effect could be seen, so great an inward had the disease made, but by degrees Mrs. Harlan began to regain her lost appetite, then her strength, then her hope. When her health and she began to day in perfect physical condition, wholly as a result of the use of Dr. Acker's English Remedy for Consumption.

The lesson of this simple story should be plain to all. No man or woman can afford to neglect those first symptoms of consumption, which seem so slight but which become so terrible unless taken in time. This Great English Remedy has saved the lives of hundreds of well known men and women who were on the verge of the grave from consumption but who are well and happy today. It is sold universally.

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## LEGAL NOTICES.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.—IN THE District Court of the First Judicial District, County of Lewis and Clark, State of Montana.

In the matter of the estate of Catherine Kenck, deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, administrators of the estate of Catherine Kenck, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them, with the necessary vouchers, within ten months after the first publication of this notice to the said administrators, at the office of Loebl & Bro., No. 25 Main street, at Helena, Montana, the same being the place for the transaction of the business of said estate, in said County of Lewis and Clark.

JACOB LOEB,  
LOUIS STADLER,  
Administrators of the Estate of Catherine Kenck, deceased.

Dated at Helena, Mont., Nov. 12, 1889.

DISOLUTION OF CO-PARTNERSHIP.—The firm of Marx, Schaefer & Parker, doing business at the Warren Street Meat Market, is this day dissolved by mutual consent. Frank Marx assumed the liabilities of said firm and all money due said firm must be paid to him only.

FRANK MARX,  
OSCAR SCHAEFER,  
ARZA PARKER.

Helena, Mont., Nov. 16, 1889.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.—ESTATE OF Thomas S. Marshall, deceased. Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, administrators of the estate of Thomas S. Marshall, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them, with the necessary vouchers, within four months after the first publication of this notice, to the said administrators, at the office of A. C. Borkin, city of Helena, county of Lewis and Clark, Montana, territory, the same being the place for the transaction of the business of said estate, in the county of Lewis and Clark.

Dated at Helena, M. T., October 19, 1889.

SAHAR E. MARSHALL,  
Administratrix of the estate of Thomas S. Marshall, deceased.

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Montana, Pacific ex. Butte and south. 4:30 p. m.  
Helena and Butte ex. Butte and south. 8:15 a. m.  
Marysville ex. Butte and south. 10:00 a. m.  
Marysville ex. Butte and south. 7:30 p. m.

ARRIVE.

St. Paul, Atlantic ex. Butte and south. 11:25 a. m.  
Montana, Pacific ex. St. Paul and east. 8:45 p. m.  
Helena and Butte ex. Butte and south. 6:30 p. m.  
Marysville ex. Butte and south. 8:40 a. m.  
Marysville ex. Butte and south. 6:40 p. m.

Northern Pacific.

ARRIVE.

Through westbound. 2:50 p. m.  
Through eastbound. 7:20 p. m.  
Butte, Missoula and Helena ex. 12:30 p. m.  
Marysville passenger. 8:40 a. m.  
Rimmi accom. Mon. Wed. and Fri. 5:00 p. m.  
Wicks and Boulder passenger. 10:05 a. m.  
Marysville accommodation. 10:05 a. m.

DEPART.

Through westbound. 2:15 p. m.  
Through eastbound. 7:50 p. m.  
Helena, Missoula and Butte ex. 7:45 a. m.  
Marysville passenger. 8:40 a. m.  
Rimmi accom. Mon. Wed. and Fri. 7:15 p. m.  
Wicks and Boulder passenger. 4:00 p. m.  
Marysville accommodation. 4:00 p. m.

Union Pacific.

DEPART.

For all points east, south and west, via Montana Central and Butte. 4:00 p. m.  
Via Northern Pacific and Garrison. 8:15 p. m.

ARRIVE.

From all points east, south and west, via Butte and Montana Central. 11:25 a. m.  
Via Garrison and Northern Pacific. 12:20 p. m.

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